## Borough of Dumont Environmental Commission Meeting Minutes

July 23, 2012

Meeting Called to Order by Craig Grothues- Commission Chairperson at 7:10 PM in the Dumont Borough Hall meeting room.

Flag Salute

Reading of the Sunshine Law

Roll Call: Craig Grothues, Scott Johnson, Seymour Berkowitz and Councilperson Ellen Zamechansky.

Reading of the minutes from the May 21 meeting: minutes approved. (Note: there was not a quorum on June 25 so there was no meeting)

Unfinished Business:

Craig: Eric Dolan still wants to join the Commission but could not attend tonight's meeting. Mike Affrunti still wants to be a member but could not attend the July meeting but should be here in August. Other events on the Dumont Calendar:

9/1 is the 5K race,

9/8 is Dumont Day- will set a schedule at the next meeting; discussed giving away bags of compost.

Fall clean-up as part of Craig's classes

Craig will contact Rich McLaughlin to see if he is still interested in joining us.

Contacted Ray Slaven (head of the Shade Tree Commission) to discuss the Community Gardenthe area near Bedford Park is a possible site. Councilperson Zamechansky suggested a joint meeting with the Shade Tree Commission to discuss the project.

Seymour: Will get a copy of <u>The Record</u> article on how to compost to give away with the samples; discussed recycling

Scott to set up an Agenda for Dumont Day.

Meeting Adjourned 7:47 PM